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Mr. John Schijf, Conservation Officer  
Utah State Department of Natural Resources  
Division of Wildlife Resources  
P.O. Box 2394  
St. George, Utah 84771

Reference: Wildlife Impact Summary - August 1993

Dear Mr. Schijf:

We have no wildlife mortality to report during the month at our mine site.

No leaks from leak detection systems were reported. However a spillage type event occurred on the night of August 25-26. At the mine site we received 4" of rainfall over a 2 hour 20 minute period of time. This rainfall washed some ore off the north side of leach pad #2. Some solution was lost from the containment of the pad. USMX responded with immediate cleanup of the affected area and notification of the proper authorities of the spill. Those notified were Utah Division of Water Quality, Bureau of Land Management, Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining and Southwest Utah Health Dept. Sampling indicates cyanide values were insignificant.

Sincerely,

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